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Signing Ceremony to recognize the Navajo Area Indian Health Service, Medical Providers, and Frontline Workers for their valor and commitment during the COVID-19 Pandemic

MEDIA ADVISORY: March 30, 2022

WINDOW ROCK, Ariz. — Members of the 24th Navajo Nation Council, led by Speaker Seth Damon, will be joined by Navajo Area Indian Health Service Director, Roselyn Tso, and Dr. Kevin Gaines, M.D., a commander in the U.S. Public Health Service, for a signing ceremony of Resolution No. NABIMA-08-22 in front of the Council Chambers on Thursday, March 31, 2022, at 8:00 a.m.

The resolution was passed by the Naabik'iyáti' Committee to express the gratitude of the Navajo Nation for the valor, commitment, and continued service of the Navajo Area Indian Health Service, Medical Service Providers, and Frontline Workers during the pandemic.

What: Signing Ceremony and Press Conference

Who: Council Delegates, Community Leaders, Local Advocates, and Family Members

When: March 31, 2022, at 8:00 a.m.

Where: Navajo Nation Council Chamber

Contact: Office of the Speaker (928) 871-7160

Members of the media are encouraged to attend and a video livestream will be provided through the Facebook page for the Navajo Nation Council: <https://www.facebook.com/navajonationcouncil>.

Last month, President Joe Biden nominated Roselyn Tso to serve as Director of the Indian Health Service (IHS) and currently leads the Navajo Area IHS. Once confirmed, Tso will provide leadership for a federal agency within the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services that delivers health services to approximately 2.6 million American Indians and Alaska Natives.

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